

MEN WITH MONEY DINE THE PRINCE

Dinner by 100 Representative American Captains of Industry.

BANQUET BY PRESS

Prince To Review United German Society in Torchlight Procession Tonight.

DRIZZLING RAIN FELL

New York, Feb. 26.—Another gray, damp day faced Prince Henry when he went upon the deck of the Hohenzollern this morning. A drizzling rain fell. The prince remained aboard his yacht all the morning, the inclement weather deciding him temporarily to abandon his visit to Grant's tomb.

Cancelled a Reception
It is stated that because of the official announcement that Prince Henry will be unable to be present, the reception formally scheduled at Columbia University this morning was cancelled and the invitations issued were withdrawn.

At one o'clock there was a luncheon at Sherry's at which Prince Henry met about 100 representative Americans, captains of industry and leading minds in the arts and sciences, whose names have not yet been made public.

Early in the evening the prince will review a torchlight procession of the United German societies from the Arion club house, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street.

At the Waldorf-Astoria at 8 o'clock a dinner will be given in the prince's honor under the auspices of the Staats Zeitung, to be attended by nearly 1,200 representatives of the newspaper press of America.

After this the prince will return to the Imperial yacht Hohenzollern, and at midnight will start for Washington.

Miss Roosevelt's Message
Washington, Feb. 26.—Following is the text message of Miss Alice Roosevelt to the Emperor of Germany: "The Meteor has been successfully launched. I congratulate you and I thank you for your courtesy to me and send you my best wishes."

Freedom of the City
New York, Feb. 26.—It took just thirty-eight minutes for Prince Henry of Prussia to receive the freedom of the city of New York at the city hall yesterday afternoon, make a reputation as a public speaker, and carry the freedom away with him, nicely engrossed on parchment and done up in a silver-mounted rosewood cabinet. In the ceremonies attendant upon conferring the freedom of the city upon the royal guest, Prince Henry came into direct touch with the people of the city, through their representatives, the mayor and the board of aldermen.

Galla Opera Last Night
Prince Henry was present last evening at a gala performance given in his honor at the Metropolitan Opera House. The prince did not arrive at the opera until 9:30, and the first act of "Lohengrin," with which the program was opened, was nearly finished when he reached his box. The royal visitor was enthusiastically received by the large audience present, and he bowed his acknowledgments repeatedly.

Judge Noyes Dismissed
Washington, Feb. 26.—President Roosevelt has written a letter to Arthur H. Noyes, United States Judge for the Second District of Alaska, dismissing him from office. This action was taken in accordance with the report of the Attorney General, in which he found Judge Noyes guilty, after investigation, of judicial conduct in connection with his rulings on the bench. Judge Noyes is ill in San Francisco, and his friends fear that his illness is fatal.

MASONIC ORDER WILL BURY KIDD; FUNERAL TO BE HELD TOMORROW

State Officers and Prominent Business Men from All Over the State Will Attend the Obsequies—Made His Own Funeral Arrangements.

Prairie du Chien, Wis., Feb. 26.—The death of E. I. Kidd has spread sorrow throughout the state. He made all the arrangements for his funeral, which will be in charge of the Masonic lodge of this city with the Delamola commandery of Boscobel. The sermon will be by Dr. D. C. Dutton of McGregor, Ia., formerly his pastor here. Services will take place tomorrow morning at the First Methodist Episcopal church, the building of which was largely made possible by Mr. Kidd's generosity.
There will be at his service solos by Professor F. A. Porter of Lynxville and the Rev. L. R. Ferguson, of this city. Friends will view the remains at the residence, and the casket will not be opened at the church or grave. The honorary pallbearers will be Atley Peterson of Soldiers'

MOTHERS' CONGRESS AT WASHINGTON

Sixth Annual Convention Opens in Capital City with a Large Attendance.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 26.—The sixth national congress of Mothers is in session here today. A large number of the delegates are in the city and were received by the Committee on Credentials. The address of the president, Mrs. Theodore W. Birney, was read. In her address Mrs. Birney said that the Mother's Congress in its state and national assemblies is one of the vital factors in the education of public opinion and advised those present to be patient, loving, charitable, and not to forget the golden rule.

Resolutions were adopted extending congratulations to President and Mrs. Roosevelt over the recovery of their son from his recent illness and expressing appreciation of the complicity to womanhood of America in the selection of Miss Alice Roosevelt to christen Emperor Williams' yacht Meteor.

The National Council of Women closed its triennial session here today. It elected Mrs. Ida Smoot Dusenberry, a delegate to the National Congress of Mothers, in session here, and adopted a series of resolutions.

WILL THE PRINCE KISS DEBUTANTES?

Question of Feudal Privilege Is Left to Royal Visitor When He Reaches Chicago.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—The right of royalty to kiss debutantes was under discussion in Arthur J. Eddy's office yesterday. Members of the Prince Henry committee held conflicting views. Several thought the old feudal privilege should not obtain in Chicago; others thought it should. From the latter such expressions as these were forthcoming:

"There's more in this Prince business than I thought; I wouldn't mind being brother to the Kaiser myself for a day or two."
"A good many women will be tempted to turn back a couple of seasons the night of the ball."

"It won't hurt the prince a bit to get a little taste of real love worship."
The dissenters still demurred. "Chicago debutantes would not like it," said one. Mr. Eddy smiled evasively at this. "The Princess might cable his royal highness to cut short his visit to Chicago," said another.
The committee finally decided that the question was "up to the Prince."

WILHELM'S GIFT TO MISS ROOSEVELT

Prince, for the Emperor, Presents a Bracelet with Wilhelm's Portrait in Diamonds.

New York, Feb. 26.—Before the luncheon given on the Imperial yacht Hohenzollern yesterday in honor of President Roosevelt by Prince Henry of Prussia, a golden bracelet with a portrait of Kaiser Wilhelm in diamonds was presented to Miss Alice Roosevelt. It was the emperor's gift to the young lady as sponsor for the new yacht Meteor. The presentation was made by Prince Henry. The prince made a brief address, and the young lady thanked him.

The Woman Who Helped the Biddle Brothers to Escape, Was Taken to Pittsburgh.
Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 26.—Mrs. Kate Soffel, the jail warden's wife who assisted in the escape of the Biddle brothers, was brought back to Pittsburgh in charge of a county detective. She was taken from the hospital at Butler, Pa., where she had been ever since she was wounded in the battle following the flight of the prisoners. Three charges have been made against her, one alleging the crime of aiding in the escape of the prisoners and two alleging assault and battery.

Mrs. Soffel walked slowly with head bowed down. She did not show a trace of emotion. Her father did not once speak to her. He said he had not at first signed the \$5,000 bond voluntarily, but that his wife and another member of the family persuaded him to do so. Later Mrs. Soffel was released and left with her father for his home in Mount Washington.

BOTH SENATORS ARE SUSPENDED

Senate Passes a Resolution to That Effect Today—Conference on Philippine Bill.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The question as to what will be done to punish Tillman was taken up this morning by the senate the senate elections privileges committee. As expected the resolution was adopted suspending both senators from participation in the proceedings of the senate for a limited time.

The house ways and means committee today instructed Chairman Payne to report to the house the Philippines tariff bill as it was amended with recommendation to the house to non-concur in the amendments and demand a conference. The impression prevails that the republican house leaders will accept the bill as passed by the senate.

Victor Hugo's Birthday

Paris, Feb. 26.—The one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Victor Hugo was officially celebrated with great pomp this morning in the Pantheon in the presence of President Loubet and six thousand guests. Many notables were present.

Women's Work in Chile

In Chile, where all the telegraph lines are owned by the government, nearly all the operators are women, and a large proportion of the clerks in the postoffice and treasuries are also women. Women, too, act as conductors of the tramways.

A MESSAGE FROM MISS STONE GIVES THANKS FOR DELIVERANCE

Warm Welcome Extended to Her and Mrs. Tsilka After Bandits Set Them Free—Turkish Government Sent Representatives to Interview Her.

Salonica, Feb. 26.—Miss Stone and Mrs. Tsilka arrived here last night. The arrival was occasion for an ovation from the American residents. The two women left for Constantinople without delay.

Washington, Feb. 26.—A cablegram from the American minister to Turkey confirms the release of Miss Stone. He says she is suffering from fatigue and nervous strain.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 26.—The first message from Miss Ellen M. Stone, the missionary, to her family and friends was received last night by her brother, Charles A. Stone of Caelsea. The cablegram told of her release by the brigands and her warm welcome by Bulgarian friends in the village of Strumitza.

The message was dated Ristovatz, Feb. 25, and read as follows: "Freed, thank God, and well after our captivity of nearly six months."

"Yesterday, Sabbath morning, Mrs. Tsilka and her 7-week-old daughter, Elena and I found ourselves left by our abductors near a village an hour distant from Strumitza. For three hours we waited for dawn, then secured horses and came to this city. Kind-hearted Bulgarian friends rushed from their houses as soon as they caught a glimpse of the strange appearing travelers, took us in their arms from our horses, with tears and smiles and words of welcome, and led us into their house. Word was quickly sent to the friends engaged in the morning service at church, and then came, old and young, to greet us."

LETTER PLEASES KENOSHA PEOPLE

John M. Whitehead Billed to Deliver a Lecture There in March—Will Be Given an Ovation.

Kenosha, Wis., Feb. 26.—The letter of Senator John M. Whitehead of Janesville stating that he would be a candidate for the republican nomination for governor was received with enthusiasm in Kenosha city and county.

Attorney A. E. Buckmaster, chairman of the republican county committee in speaking of the candidacy of Senator Whitehead, said: "Kenosha county will stand as unit for Whitehead, and I don't believe that you could find a La Follette man in the county with a fine-tooth comb."

Kenosha was one of the original Whitehead counties of the state, and when the senator withdrew from the race two years ago the delegates from the county were pledged to work for his nomination and election. Mr. Whitehead will deliver an address in this city early in March, and the republicans of the county and city are planning to give him an ovation.

WASHINGTON NOTES

Washington, Feb. 26.—Senator Callum yesterday granted a hearing to Susan B. Anthony, Mrs. John A. Logan and May Wright Sewall, in which they spoke in favor of the adoption of a bill granting an annuity of \$5,000 a year to Clara Barton, President of the Red Cross society, for services performed by her during the war and during other calamities.

H. R. Fuller, the legislative representative of the railway employees' organizations, was heard by the House committee on commerce yesterday in favor of extending the laws on safety appliances so as to cover locomotives and tenders.

The proposed change of the rural free delivery system from the salary to the contract basis was embodied in a special bill ordered reported by the House committee on postoffices and postroads.

King of Servia Assassinated
London, Feb. 26.—A news agency dispatch from Berlin says it is rumored that the King of Servia was assassinated this morning.

GIVES MCGOVERN ANOTHER CHANCE

"Young" Corbett Is Matched to Fight Terry About the Middle of October.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 26.—"Young" Corbett and Terry McGovern signed articles of agreement last night to fight on or before October 15. After a whole day's wrangling over the weight question Managers John Corbett and Sam Harris came to terms.

It was a sort of a Shylock argument for there was one pound of flesh at stake. Corbett wanted to make the match so that the two could weigh 126 pounds at 12 o'clock on the day of the contest. Harris wanted to have them weigh at three o'clock in the afternoon. Corbett finally offered to let his man weigh 127 pounds at 4 o'clock, but Harris held out for several hours before he met these terms. Just where the fight will take place is a matter of conjecture. Bids will be received until April 15.

Manager Gray of the Southern Athletic club of Louisville was on hand to make an offer. So was Frank Kelley, who represents the Covington Athletic club. Joe Vendig, the Eastern bookmaker, was also willing to make an offer.

GREAT REJOICING ALL OVER GERMANY

Feeling Toward America Is Rapidly Working Up to Positive Enthusiasm Over Prince's Visit.

Berlin, Feb. 26.—All day long crowds stared at the portraits of President Roosevelt and Prince Henry which hung side by side in front of a newspaper office on Unter den Linden, and part of the time this crowd was so dense that the police had to clear the way for traffic.

Emperor William, who, with the Empress, drove by the newspaper offices this afternoon, noticed the portraits and saluted a small American flag above them. Upon perceiving this the crowd applauded. The Germans are slowly working up to animation over the reception in the United States to Prince Henry and are glowing with good feeling toward America. Newspapers that never before received special cablegrams from the United States are publishing such messages.

One editor remarked that the entire German press would be without dividends this year, and expressed the hope that nothing else of equal interest would happen on the other side of the Atlantic for five years to come.

LA FOLLETTE WILL GREET THE PRINCE

The Governor Will Take Part in the Milwaukee Grand Reception on March 4.

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 26.—Governor La Follette will take part in the reception to Prince Henry when the latter makes his visit to Milwaukee. The governor has sent his acceptance to the invitation extended him, and will be present with his staff to greet the prince when he reaches the city. Former Congressman P. V. Deuster and Emil Court will speak at the exposition building. Mr. Court will appear for the German veterans. The reception committee will wear a badge consisting of a rosette of black, red and white ribbons, depending from which will be ribbons one foot in length of the same colors.

MINNESOTA TAX BILL IS BEATEN

House, After Long Consideration, Defeats Measure Which the Extra Session Was Called to Pass.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 26.—After two weeks' consideration in committee and on the floor of the house, and after having adopted many amendments, the house of representatives today, by a vote of 51 to 40, defeated the proposed new tax code, for the passage of which the present extra session had been called. There are still pending a number of measures providing for the submission of various constitutional amendments, and also a measure calling a constitutional convention.

BOERS ATTEMPT TO RUSH OUTPOSTS

Some Got Through, But Left Fifteen Dead and Six Wounded Behind.

London, Feb. 26.—Lord Kitchener today reports as follows: "Six hundred Boers driving a herd of cattle before them attempted to rush Col. Byng's right outpost line on the 23rd near Bothasberg. A certain number got through after abandoning everything and leaving fifteen dead and six wounded behind. Our casualties have not been reported."

An official dispatch from Pretoria states that an empty convoy was attacked ten miles south-west of Klerksdorf. After severe fighting the convoy was captured. Details of the engagement are not received.

Capture of Gen. Lubran

Washington, Feb. 26.—A cablegram to the war department from General Chaffee announces the capture of General Lubran, the notorious guerilla chieftain.

Chaffee also reports the capture in Samar of Dunston, a deserter, from the Eighth Infantry, the destruction of an ammunition factory and the killing of eleven insurgents.

UNITES BELOIT AND ROCKFORD; TROLLEY LINE CONNECTS CITIES

Laying of Rails and Ballasting Has Been Finished, and the Line Will Be in Operation Early in April—On to Janesville Next.

Beloit, Wis., Feb. 26. (Special).—This city and Rockford are now joined by an interurban trolley line. The laying of rails was finished last week, and the work of ballasting the track has been commenced, and it is claimed that the line will be in operation early in April. During the summer the line will be extended to Janesville and another branch will be built to Delavan Lake.
Manager Ellis of the Rockford electric system says that the projected line to Freeport will be built this summer, so that in the matter of rural trolley lines Rockford will be connected with Belvidere on the east, Beloit and Janesville on the north and Freeport on the west. The line to Dixon and Sterling still gives promise of being built, so that the whole country twenty-five miles out of Rockford will be gridironed with electric roads within the next year.
Of the newer projects it is claimed that the Aurora and Rockford line, now being surveyed, will connect the Rockford and Belvidere line at Belvidere. Private rights of way, over which the law permits a rural trolley line to haul freight, is a plan of all the new lines now projected, the freight ventures of both the Harvard and Geneva Lake and the Rockford and Belvidere lines being already on a paying basis.

ENTHUSIASM OF BUSINESS MEN

All Have Shoulders to the Wheel for the Advancement of Janesville.

OFFICERS ELECTED

The Marzluff Proposition Is Submitted, Discussed and Referred to Committee.

PROSPECTS ARE GOOD

If anyone is laboring under the impression that our business and professional men are indifferent to the welfare and needs of our city, he should have attended the meeting at the municipal court room last evening and any such thought would have been dispelled. It was by far the most enthusiastic meeting of our representative citizens held in this city for ten years, and will surely result in great good in the near future. Nearly a hundred were present.
In the absence of the old president and vice president the meeting was called to order by Secretary George Simpson and P. J. Mount was chosen as chairman.

Old Rules and By-Laws
Stanley D. Smith as chairman of the committee on reorganization stated that he had found the books, charter, rules and by-laws of the old Business Men's association and suggested that the rules and by-laws of the former organization be used, with slight modifications. He also suggested that future meetings be held in the municipal court room until the new city hall is finished, when he hoped suitable quarters would be afforded.
Orden H. Fethers, asked if there was a list of the old members at the time the effects were sold and was answered yes.

George M. McKey moved that a new list of members be made and that he sign the list and pay the annual dues at the time he signed. The motion carried and sixty-six names were signed and \$132 paid in.

Levi B. Carle President
W. T. Vankirk the president, came in, and Mr. Mount yielded the chair to him.

George M. McKey moved that the meeting proceed to the election of officers. The chair appointed as tellers C. S. Jackman and George M. McKey.

Orden H. Fethers in a few well-chosen words, nominated Levi B. Carle as president and moved that the secretary cast the ballot for Mr. Carle. The ballot was cast. In his nomination speech Mr. Fethers said that Mr. Carle as president would inspire confidence, insure conservatism and lend dignity to the association.

President Vankirk yielded the chair to the new president, Mr. Carle, who warmly thanked the meeting for the honor conferred upon him.

Other Officers Elected

Geo. M. McKey moved that the secretary cast the ballot for Michael Hayes for the First Vice President. The ballot was so cast.

M. O. Mount moved that the temporary secretary, George Simpson, cast the ballot for A. E. Blinham for secretary and the ballot was so cast.

A. E. Tanberg moved that the secretary cast the ballot for A. P. Burnham for treasurer and the ballot was so cast.

C. S. Jackman of the committee that conferred with Mr. Marzluff regarding a proposition handed President Carle a proposition drawn up by M. G. Jeffris and signed by F. M. Marzluff & Co. Mr. Carle read the proposition which is as follows:

Marzluff Proposition
"To the Citizens of Janesville: F. M. Marzluff & Co. make the following proposition with reference to the reorganization of their shoe manufacturing plant and continuing the business in the city of Janesville: "1st. Organize a corporation which shall have preferred and common stock. The citizens of Janesville to subscribe for the preferred stock."
"2nd. The preferred stock to amount to \$40,000, to draw dividends at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually. Preferred

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HENRY S. JAMES SECOND TRIP TO ROCK RIVER COUNTRY.

Henry James' second trip to Rock County was as uneventful as his first had been unpleasant. He left his home near Racine in December, 1835, being accompanied by a Mr. Glenn of Racine and J. C. Kapp. The party had a horse, and according to Mr. James, got through without any accident worth mentioning. He found on his arrival, Samuel St. John and W. A. Holmes living in a log cabin on Rock River.

In this connection it may be interesting to know that Samuel St. John was the father of Dr. James W. St. John and W. A. Holmes was the father of Mrs. Volney Atwood, both of whom now live in Janesville. The "St. John home," located on what is now the Paul farm at Spring Brook, was a modest log structure, but it had a name because of its bountiful hospitality. Samuel St. John was a native of Vermont. He came to Wisconsin with his wife and 3 children and located at Spring Brook in November 1835. Mrs. St. John died in June 1836 and was the first white person buried in the new settlement of Janesville. Her grave was marked by a tombstone upon an eminence near the Beloit road. Mr. St. John died some years afterward, and his remains were interred near those of his wife.

A Trip to Green Bay. Several inches of snow lay on the ground when James reached "Janesville," but he decided not to delay his trip of exploration of Rock River. As he could get no feed for his horse, the equines were left behind and James and his fellow travelers explored the country as far up as Ft. Atkinson. They liked the looks of things around Lake Koshkonong, and decided to buy the land on the west side, where the river runs out of the lake; which included the now "Taylor House" property. They also staked out claims on the east side, expecting to settle there. The party then returned to Janesville, but James had to be on the move, apparently, because within a few days he and Alfred Cary, of Racine left for Green Bay.

At that time James says there was not a house between Call's Grove and Rock River, and but one between Milwaukee and Green Bay, and that was Farnsworth's mill on the Sheboygan River. Cary was summoned home soon after leaving Milwaukee, because of the shooting of his brother, Dr. B. B. Cary, at Racine. Word was brought to Cary by a young man named Rank.

Cary at once turned back, and Rank went on with James. "In four or five days," says James, "we reached our destination without any accident worth mentioning. We had plenty of snow to make a good soft bed, and wolves enough to howl us to sleep at all times of the night." An uneventful trip, surely!

"THE STROLLERS" HERE TONIGHT

It is Said To Be One of the Strongest Musical Comedy Cards on the Road.

The Myers Grand tonight will present as one of the strongest musical comedy cards of the present season, Nixon & Zimmerman's latest offering "The Strollers," a free adaptation from the German by Harry B. Smith, with jingling musical embellishments by Ludwig Englander. Messrs. Nixon & Zimmerman have provided one of the strongest companies ever put together in one musical comedy. Principal among which are John Henshaw, Eddie Foy, Marie George and D. L. Don, all of whom are given wide scope to their respective abilities. After braving an entire summer's approbation before New York audiences, with much success, "The Strollers" come to us with good news from all along the line of their entertaining abilities.

DON'T ACCEPT COUNTERFEITS. For pills, skin diseases, sores, cuts, bruises, burns and other wounds nothing equals DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Don't accept a counterfeit. None genuine except DeWitt's. "I have suffered since 1865 with protruding, bleeding piles and until recently could find no permanent relief," says J. F. Gural of St. Paul, Ark. "Finally I tried DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve which soon completely cured me."

ASSORT TOBACCO FOR THE FARMERS

Many of the farmers in this section have become discouraged in the hope of selling their tobacco in the bundle and are either assorting their tobacco themselves or are having someone else to do it for them. Two or three warehouses in Edgerton are assorting for the farmers and a warehouse in Milton Junction is doing the same work. In other packing points the farmers are having the work done for them. In the town of Porter there are two or three gangs of young men going about doing the work on the farms. They charge 40 cents per hundred pounds where board is furnished or 60 cents per hundred pounds and board themselves. Quite a number of farmers are having their tobacco assorted rather than accept prevailing prices.

YOUR FAITH will be as strong as Shiloh's Consumption Cure and ours is so strong, we guarantee a cure or refund money, and we send you free trial bottle if you write for it. SHILOH'S CURE cures all lung troubles, consumption, pneumonia, bronchitis and all lung troubles. Will cure a cough or cold in a day, and thus prevent serious results. It has been doing these things for 50 years. S. C. WELLS & CO., EL PASO, TEX.

At Green Bay James found the first legislature of Wisconsin, or the last territorial legislature of Michigan awaiting the pleasure of Gov. Horner, but the latter did not show up, and the "whole thing" ended in smoke. James at once examined the books at the town office and found that the land he had selected had already been sold, so he had his trip for his pains. James then "took in the sights" and after laying in a supply of crackers, cheese, ham and tobacco, and not forgetting some of "the critter," started for home, where he arrived safely and in due time.

James had now made two trips to Rock River and one to Green Bay without result, so he determined to try it once more. He therefore started from Racine in company with his cousin John James, who later settled at Bad Axe, Wis. He explored Rock River to the north of Janesville, "as far as the mouth of Whitewater," returning to Samuel St. John's for supplies. James explored the west side of the river as far as Catfish Creek, and thence up to or nearly to First Lake, near Madison. The course was then directed toward Camp & Collins' diggings on Sugar Creek, and made Mitchell's Grove on the route.

The men had been out some days and running short of provisions, decided to push on at once to Camp & Collins'. Just at night they found the section and quarter section upon which they had been informed the diggings were located, but none were in sight. The night was dark and cold, so timber was secured to build a fire with the intention of camping there.

Help Close at Hand.

The men were spared the discomfort of a bed in the snow, however, for while they were gathering wood, they saw sparks rising into the air, as if from a fire. James thought the fire belonged to the Indians, and decided to visit the savages rather than camp out. Accordingly they made haste in the direction of the sparks, and were overjoyed to find a cabin inhabited by Michael Welch, a miner, who received them with open arms. Here after some further exploration of this part of the country, James selected the claim upon which the city of Janesville grew up, and marked it as his claim on Feb. 15, 1836.

James, as the result of his journey, had become snow blind, and for ten days was compelled to "lay up." As soon as he could see to travel, his companion having entered the employ of Mr. St. John, James started for Racine, following the line of the new survey. On this trip he did not see a human being, or a trace of one other than the surveyors' marks.

The third trip that Mr. James made to what is now this city, was his last, and will furnish still another chapter.

JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES

Quotations on Grain and Produce as Reported for The Gazette.

Reported by R. E. McGuire. Feb. 12, 1902.
Flour—Retail at 90¢; \$1.10 per sack.
Wheat—Winter 70¢; 75¢.
Buckwheat—\$1.25 per cwt.
Rye—60¢ per bu.
Barley—55¢ per bu.
Corn—Ear, old, \$1.00; \$1.20 per ton; new, 17.00; \$18.00 per ton.
Oats—Common to best, white, 45¢; 50¢.
Clover Seed—\$5.00 per 100 lbs.
Timothy Seed—\$5.00; \$5.50 per 100 lbs.
Feed—\$2.00 per ton; \$2.25 per ton.
Beans—\$1.00 per ton; \$1.25 per ton.
Middlings—\$3.50 per 100 lbs.; \$1.85 per ton.
Hops—\$1.25 per 100 lbs.
Hay—Clover, \$8.00; timothy, 12.00 to 15.00.
Wild, \$16.00 per ton.
Straw—\$1.00 per ton for cut and rye.
Potatoes—\$1.00 per bu.
Beans—\$1.25 per bushel.
Butter—Best dairy, 24¢.
Eggs—25¢ per dozen for fresh.
Poultry—Springers, 10¢ lb.; hens, 8¢ lb.; turkeys, 15¢ lb.
Wool—Washed, 15¢; unwashed, 10¢.
Hides—\$2.00.
Fruit—Quintal at 25¢; 50¢.
Cattle—\$2.00; 2.50 per cwt.
Hogs—\$5.00; 5.50 per cwt.
Sugar—\$10.00; 11¢ lb.; 12¢ lb.

Church Spire is Plumb
The story that the tall spire on St. Mary's new church is out of plumb and will have to be taken down and rebuilt, has gained some credence on the streets. Rev. W. A. Goebel was seen and said that so far as he knew the spire was plumb and all right.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward of any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props, Toledo, O.
We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

W. L. KATZ, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.
WALDRING, KATZ & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75¢ per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Mother, Yes one package makes two parts of baby medicine. See directions. There is nothing just as good for babies and children as Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents. Smith's Pharmacy, Kodak agents.

A \$10,000 Damage Suit.
William Kath, a former resident of this city is plaintiff in a \$10,000 damage suit against the Wisconsin Central railroad for injuries received while employed as fireman by that road. Kath claims that while firing the engine on a construction train they went through a defective trestle and he was badly injured, there being 3 ribs fractured and his spine injured. Some two or three years ago Kath was employed by the Peoples' Ice company of this city while they were filling their houses and was injured by falling from the runway. At that time he claimed that he injured

his spine and the ice company rather than stand a law suit settled with him for his injuries. An agent of the Aetna Life Insurance company was in the city yesterday looking up Kath's past record on account of his having an accident policy in that company.

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stock to be redeemed by the company and retired by the payment of dollar for dollar, the same with interest or dividends at six per cent. up to the date of retirement, and such retirement to take place on or before ten years from date of organization. The preferred stock to be entitled to first distribution from all assets to the par value thereof, and the common stock to pay no dividend until the preferred stock shall have been retired. The preferred stock to be without power of voting.

"And the guarantee of the company to retire the preferred stock and to pay dividends to be guaranteed by the present members of the firm of F. M. Marzluff & Co.

"4th. F. M. Marzluff & Co. to invest at least \$30,000 in the business of the company, which shall be invested in common stock.

"Dated February 25, 1902.
"F. M. MARZLUFF & CO."

Honest Business Man
After reading the proposition Mr. Carle said the propositions are: Is it best to keep Mr. Marzluff in Janesville? Can he pay the debt in the stipulated time? Personally he did not regard the proposition as a great risk. He had known Mr. Marzluff for fifteen years and believed him to be an honest and upright business man, thoroughly conversant with the shoe manufacturing business.

A general discussion followed in which John G. Rexford, Michael Hayes, Levi Carle, C. S. Jackson, Ogden H. Fethers, and W. T. Vankirk participated.

George M. McKey said that he had just returned from Beloit and understood that a committee of Beloit business men were canvassing for funds to secure the factory.

John G. Rexford moved that the committee on propositions make out a proposition in detail, surrounded with the proper safeguards and A. E. Matheson moved that the chair add four names to that committee which Chairman Carle did, naming A. E. Matheson, Archie Reid, Michael Hayes and M. O. Mount. The former committee consisted of C. S. Jackson, Levi B. Carle and M. G. Jeffris.

John G. Rexford moved that the committee on reorganization continue to perfect the organization. Carried. Howard F. Bliss moved that the secretary allowed an annual salary of \$50. Carried.

On motion of Michael Hayes the meeting adjourned subject to the call of the president.

Money in the Treasury
Capt. W. T. Vankirk is authority for the statement that there is \$51.45 in the hands of the treasurer of a Business Men's association that was in the process of formation in 1895, but was never active. W. H. Greenman was elected president of the meeting which was held in the Y. M. C. A. building. The meeting was adjourned subject to the call of the president.

The Officers.
President—Levi B. Carle.
1st Vice President—Michael Hayes.
2nd Vice President—George D. Simpson.
Secretary—A. E. Bingham.
Treasurer—A. P. Burnham.

Committee on Proposition.
C. S. Jackson, Levi B. Carle, M. G. Jeffris, A. E. Matheson, Archie Reid, Michael Hayes, M. O. Mount.

The Membership.

The paid membership on the rolls last night when the meeting adjourned was as follows:
Dennis Hayes, Geo. Williamson, J. P. Estes, J. D. Brownell, E. E. King, J. C. Uffler, Geo. F. Kimball, Frank B. Stekler, P. H. Korst, J. F. Sweeney, J. L. Bostwick, Stanley B. Smith, C. N. Gilkey, Robert M. Bostwick, R. J. Whitton, W. T. Vankirk, H. H. McKinnay, W. A. Johnson, A. E. Matheson, John M. Whitehead, E. W. Putnam, Archie Reid, George D. Simpson, C. S. Jackson, N. L. Carle, H. G. Carter, A. E. Tanberg, A. Schaller, W. H. Greenman, L. B. Carle, M. P. Richardson, Leslie Treat, Will Ford, F. L. Clemons, J. C. Kinas, F. E. Fife, F. S. Sheldon, F. L. Wilbur, Chas. Brockhaus, Michael Hayes, O. H. Fethers, Wilson Linn, John G. Rexford, A. E. Bingham, Dr. James Mills, F. C. Cook.

A CARD.
We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 60 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.
J. P. Baker, Geo. E. King & Co., 216 Main street, H. E. Ransom & Co., People's Drug Co., Janesville, Wis.

C. M. Dow of Madison transacted business before the circuit court yesterday.

Tonight!
If your liver is out of order, causing Biliousness, Sick Headache, Heartburn, or Constipation, take a dose of **Hood's Pills**
On retiring, and tomorrow your digestive organs will be regulated and you will be bright, active and ready for any kind of work. This has been the experience of others; it will be yours. **HOOD'S PILLS** are sold by all medicine dealers. 25 cts.

RESIGNATION OF HEG

Surprise and Regret Expressed Over Retirement of the Badger Man from Rahway Reformatory.

The people were much surprised the latter part of last week when it became publicly known that James E. Heg, the Superintendent of the Rahway Reformatory, who has shown such a peculiar adaptability for the position, had sent his resignation to the commissioners. Though there was at first much criticism of the act of the commissioners in going to a distant state to select a superintendent, when the people better understood the requirements and noted that experience such as Mr. Heg had previously obtained was needed for the successful organization and carrying on of the work, there was less inclination to find fault with the appointment, as he at once took hold like a veteran and soon had plans perfected and everything in working order.

The story of the resignation cannot be better told than by quoting an interview of the Elizabeth correspondent of the Newark Sunday News with Hon. A. Squire, president of the reformatory commission. After expressing sorrow at Mr. Heg's decision to quit, Mr. Squire continued:

"When I express myself in this way I simply voice the sentiment of my fellow commissioners. Superintendent Heg proved himself a thoroughly competent person to have charge of a penal institution of that character, and during the time he was in control he accomplished wonders. He had to take hold of and start the new institution in proper shape, and any one who takes the trouble to visit the Reformatory can see how well he accomplished his difficult task.

I consider that, so far as it has progressed, the work done by him will serve as a model for his successor to follow, and the press cannot to strongly emphasize the statement.

The commission is sorely puzzled just now as to whom it will select to take up the work as mapped out by the retiring superintendent and carry it on so successfully. He had a rare faculty of handling youthful criminals, while his executive ability was of high order. We would gladly have retained him, but he left to accept a much better proposition, and one that was not so confining, so there was nothing left for the commission to do but to accept his resignation.

He has been elected president and general manager of the Paul system of steam heating, with his headquarters at Boston, where the parent office is located. His jurisdiction takes in Chicago, St. Louis, Denver and other western cities, besides everything west of the Allegheny Mountains. His salary is considerably more, so I am informed, than was paid to him at the reformatory, while the scope for showing his ability is far greater."

Supt. Heg is a brother-in-law of Congressman Fowler, who is married to his sister. The Congressman and his family are now living in Washington.

He Will Not Surrender.
London, Feb. 25.—The War Office denies the rumors that Gen. Louis Botha Boer commander in chief in South Africa, made an offer to surrender on certain conditions. The story seems to have come from Paris.

Cass County Primaries.
Virginia, Ill., Feb. 25.—The Cass county Democratic central committee met in this city yesterday and fixed the date for holding the county convention for March 17.

HALF A MAN.
When a man is sick and can only work half the time he is practically half a man. It requires his whole physical energy to do half a man's work.

In general the weak run down condition which cuts the strength and energy in half is due to disease of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. You could not expect a half starved man to work more than half the time. The condition of the man with weak stomach is that of the half starved man. He is weak through lack of nutrition.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It enables the perfect nutrition of the body and so restores the strength.

"I had stomach trouble from birth," writes Mr. Willis Seaman of Washingtonville, Orange Co., N. Y., "and suffered with it more or less as I grew up. At the age of 25 I was broken down with dyspepsia. My suffering was terrible. Could eat without distress. Could only eat a few certain things and was not able to work half the time. Every thing I tried only gave me temporary relief. My wife finally persuaded me to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and 'Pleasant Pellets.' I took six bottles of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and two vials of Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. I then felt so well that I stopped taking medicine. Several months have passed and I can do the hardest kind of work, can eat anything that is set before me and enjoy it. I am 27 years old and this is the first time I have ever been well."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation.

Three Strong Points....
Material, the best.
Workmanship, unexcelled.
Lowest Prices.

Men's Half Socks..... 50c
Ladies' and Boys' Half Socks..... 40c

Chicago Shoe Repairing Co.
3rd Store Door E. of Grand Hotel.

J.M. BOSTWICK & SONS.
THE BIG STORE 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, S. MAIN ST., JANESVILLE, WIS.
WE KEEP THE QUALITY UP.



Ready-to-wear

WOOL SKIRTS.

We start the spring selling in our garment section with a thoroughly up-to-date equipment of TAILOR MADE SKIRTS. We've had the very best to choose from and have selected the top notch things as to style. They are made by tailor artists, the materials are of the newest weaves, the fit and finish is all that could be desired, and the prices are as low as stylish, worthily-made skirts can be sold at. Shoddy make-shifts are dear at any price.

Skirts \$4 to \$10
A collection of 100 wool Dress Skirts—the very newest styles. The colors are black, red, gray, browns, tans, blues and modes. Some with latest flounce, others with seven gore flare, new habit backs; self colored, contrasting, or block trimming of satin bands rows of braid, some tailor stitched. A prettier lot of skirts at such moderate figures would be hard to find. Materials excellent. Better call at once and get in on the ground floor.

EVERYTHING THAT'S GOOD.
Every Shape that's new, every color that is desirable, every material that is being worn. Any woman who cannot be suited from such an assortment is indeed hard to please. One can hardly complain of our not having prices enough: 3, 3 1/2, 4, 5, 5 1/2, 7, 9, 10, 12 dollars, and some we have left out. Now is the time to buy.

Black Dress Skirts
Of these our showing is a large one. Some lined, others not. Whether one pays 51-2, 18 dollars or any price between, she'll get her money's worth. At \$2.00 we have a fancy BLACK BRILLIANTINE SKIRT, all sizes, and the large ones are made with extra large bands; can fit any woman.

SUITS.
Our line is not yet complete. We have about 50 NEW ONES in and THREE LARGE SHIPMENTS to arrive in the next few days.

ALTERATIONS FREE.

Allen & Palmer
Next to Rock County Bank.
Cleaning and Repairing a specialty.

Stove Season About Over.

That is just why we will close out our remaining stock regardless of cost. Many Stoves as good as new. We are always in the market for second hand goods of all kinds.

J. T. WAGGONER & CO.,
215 West Milwaukee Street
New Phone 761.



Your Health
We will be benefitted if you use Buob's Beer or Ale
Guaranteed to be absolutely pure!
SOUTH SIDE BREWERY.
Phone 141.

SELLS ON IT'S MERITS...

TOWANDO.

No better Whiskey on the market at three times the cost.
3 Grades. Prices.

L. L. LEFFINGWELL,
East Milwaukee St.

Floral Offerings.

We now have a fine assortment of Cut Flowers, and are fully prepared to fill all orders. All phone calls will be given close attention.

Janesville Floral Co.
214 S. Main. Both Phones 171

J. W. ECHLIN Livery,
Sale @ Boarding Stable

Opposite Grand Hotel. Both Phones JANESVILLE

We Have

Filled our window with trouser patterns that have been selling for 5, 6, 6.50 and \$7.00.

You Can
take your choice of them for **\$5.00.**

Our spring line will soon be in and to make ready for it, we make this reduction: A perfect fit guaranteed or your money back, at

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NO DANGER OF SMALL POX HERE

The Only Case Has Fully Recovered, and Family Have Left the City - Case in the Country.

During the past three weeks not a little anxiety has been manifest on the part of many of our citizens concerning a case of smallpox in the family of Claude Herrick, a blacksmith who resided over the DeGroot restaurant on South Main street and later was taken to the detention hospital at the foot of South Bluff street.

All anxiety in regard to that family may be put at rest, as Mr. Herrick has fully recovered and he, with his entire family have left the city. Mr. Herrick realized that he could not get employment in Janesville for some time and being a poor man, went to another city where he could find work.

Several parties about town have seen fit to severely censure Health Officer Dr. George W. Fildes for allowing Charles Kruse, superintendent of the detention hospital to be about the streets while the Herrick family was in the hospital. In this connection it should be said that the Kruse family occupied the lower floor of the hospital and the Herrick family the upper floor or hospital proper.

Mrs. Herrick did all the nursing for her husband and only went out doors to get coal, the entrance to the upper floor is on the outside on the north side of the building. The entrance to the lower floor is on the south side and there is no inside communication between the upper and lower floors, so it will be seen that the entrances are on opposite sides of the building.

Mr. Kruse and no member of his family were allowed to have anything to do with the Herrick family and they were as separate as though they lived in separate houses.

Health Officer Fildes did not feel like quarantining Mr. Kruse and make the city pay him \$2 per day when he considered there was no danger in allowing him his liberty.

The citizens of Janesville may rest assured that our health officer is using every precaution to prevent the spread of the disease and has those afflicted always properly cared for and properly confined to their homes.

Clarence Wright, residing six miles from Janesville on the Emerald Grove road in the town of La Prairie, is ill with a well-developed case of the smallpox. His home has been quarantined by Health Officer Hiram Proctor. In the Wright home are five children who have not yet been exposed but who have not as yet been taken down with the dread disease. Wright is said to have exposed many farmers. One of his daughters teaches school in the town of Janesville and it is said that she attended to her duties after she had been exposed. Mr. Wright is said to have contracted the disease in Janesville.

KNIGHTS OF GLOBE ANNUAL BANQUET

Well Rendered Program and Entertainment at East Side Odd Fellows' Hall Last Night.

What proved to be a very enjoyable affair was the annual banquet and entertainment of the Knights of the Globe, held last night at the East Side Odd Fellows hall. The banquet was served at 7 o'clock and the tables were loaded with all the good things that serve to make a banquet a success, and was heartily enjoyed by over a hundred people.

Supper being over the dining room was deserted for the lodge room where a well rendered program was listened to. The musical numbers were all good and the selections by the Paul orchestra are well worthy of special mention. Mrs. Alice Mason responded with a reading which created much amusement.

Miss Hattie Decker recited "Asleep on Guard" so well that she was obliged to respond to an encore. Other selections were given by Gladys Rutter, Alta Berg, Frank and May Granger. At the close of the program, Sir Knight Heller called upon Sir Knight Taylor for a song. He at first declined saying: "Sir Knight Heller never did know when he had enough and would probably be wanting another supper." But finally Sir Knight Taylor consented to favor the audience with a song; and to say that the song made the hit of the evening, is expressing it very mildly.

The Sir Knights were ably assisted in entertaining by the Clara Barton Garrison of Emmett Ladies.

SPECIAL MEETING OF SALVATION ARMY

The local corps of the Salvation Army are arranging for some stirring times during the coming week. Officers' councils and public demonstrations to be led by Lt. Col. Margretta, the chief executive officer of this part of the county assisted by Maj. Peter Glen, our divisional officer, also Staff Captain Casler, both of Milwaukee; Capt. Jorgenson and two lieutenants of Racine, Wis.; Ensign and Mrs. Williamson of Belvidere, Ill.; Ensign and Mrs. George Jones of Rockford, Ill.; Capt. and Mrs. Foss of Beloit; Capt. Mrs. Wilson and daughters of Mousmouth, Ill.; Lieut. M. M. Bell and Capt. and Mrs. Taylor of this city.

Meetings will be held as follows: Wednesday night, March 5th at 8 p. m., A Musical Bazaar and Welcome to Visiting Officers. Thursday, March 5th, Officers' Council at 10:30 a. m. Street meetings at two p. m. Holy night meeting to which all Christians are specially invited at 3 p. m. and Great Hallelujah Wind-Up and Farewell Meeting at 8 p. m. Everyone made welcome at the new barracks, No. 49 N. Main.

Have you smoked the famous Masonic Temple cigars? They are good. Koerner Bros., distributors. The Perfecto Factories makers.

NEWS OF THE CITY

3 cans fancy cherries 25c. Fair. Big box parlor matches 5c. Fair. Last week of our special clearing sale. T. P. Burns.

Lots of fine rubbers 10c. Fair. Sewing machines at \$10.95 each at W. H. Ashcraft's.

Our special clearing sale always provides values of extraordinary interest. T. P. Burns.

1,000 pillow slips, large 10c. Fair. Buy ladies' tailor made suits at our special clearing sale and save money. T. P. Burns.

Buy your rubbers and shoes at the closing out sale of the Chicago Store. See the gent's laundered percale shirts we are selling for 29c at our special clearing sale. T. P. Burns.

Finest corn in city 7c. Fair. Bort, Bailey & Co. special announcement in this issue should interest every housekeeper.

Fancy plated teaspoons 7c. doz. Parlor furniture, the cheapest you ever heard of during the March sale at W. H. Ashcraft's.

Special sale of Honor Bright wrappers and Beatrice house dresses. Don't fail to see this special display. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Fancy plated tablespoons 10c. doz. Fair. The greatest furniture sale ever held in this city opens March 1st at W. H. Ashcraft's.

In Justice Reader's court yesterday Horace Fessenden was given a judgment against Herman Keeter for \$27.05 and costs.

Don't go to the trouble of making a house wrapper when you can purchase one for \$1. The line we are showing can't be equaled in this city for the price. Bort, Bailey & Co.

The Eastern Star Study Class will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. C. B. Evans, 171 Terrace St. Study for the class, Travel.

For the greatest bargains ever offered in furniture read ad on page 8, or call at W. H. Ashcraft's and see the real articles.

3 cans fancy blueberries 25c. Fair. 1,000 yds. ribbon 1c. Fair.

Dr. W. W. Gill, the celebrated medical expert of Madison, is in the city and will testify for the plaintiff in the case of Collins vs. the city.

We are anxious to show you the famous Beatrice house dresses at \$1.50 each. The material alone would cost you this amount. Our line is most complete. Bort, Bailey & Co.

A general order increasing the pay of rural free delivery mail carriers \$100 a year has been issued by the postmaster general.

There will be no judicial election this spring in Rock county. There will be judicial elections in a number of the counties throughout the state.

Frank Sellick an old Janesville boy now route agent for the Wells, Fargo Express company, with headquarters in Amarillo, Tex., is in the city renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Jackson entertained the members of a club at their home on Olive street last evening. Supper was served at 7:30 and the remainder of the evening spent at their favorite game.

Treasurer F. G. Fessenden of the town of Porter was the first town treasurer to make a full settlement with County Treasurer Rice. Mr. Fessenden has collected every cent due from his town and has no delinquent returns to make.

A. E. Anderson of this city is one of the twenty University of Wisconsin students who will leave Madison this morning for Toronto, Canada, to attend the quadrennial session of the international students' volunteer.

The Durno-Emmett Co. gave a pleasing entertainment at the Y. M. C. A. last evening, consisting of music, magic and monologue selections. The auditorium was crowded with spectators who enjoyed the performance.

The paper train on the C. & N. W. Ry due here at 5:55 a. m. did not arrive until about 8:30 o'clock. The Milwaukee Sentinels are received on this train and the delivery today was delayed in consequence.

A game of basket ball will be played on Friday night at the High school gymnasium between a team of unknowns called the "White Masks" and the regular high school team. There will also be a game between the first and second girls' team.

County Clerk F. P. Starr will take part in the farmers' institute held at Oshkosh, Wis. March 11 and 12. Mr. Starr will address the convention on "The rights and duties of men." He has given this subject considerable thought and will no doubt have a pleasing address.

The Boy's Brotherhood debate on the Ship-Subsidy question in the Baptist church lecture room this evening are Frank Nelson and George Searcliff versus Howard Bonsted and Harvey Bailey. The judges are T. S. Nolan, G. S. Parker and M. O. Mount. The public are invited.

The Fair store department is full of big bargains. Shoes, rubbers, fancy dress goods, underwear, ladies' men's and children's bargains, not seen every day. We have a line of ladies' fine jackets, worth \$1 to \$4.50 now go at 35c; the handsome baby cloak, worth \$3 to \$4.50 on sale at 50c to 75c. Fair.

R. H. Kerr, of Milwaukee, general auditor of the Northwestern Assurance Inspection Co. of Oshkosh, is in the city and will be here several days at the Grand Hotel, adjusting the loss of the Rock River Machine Co. The "Northwestern's" business is that of expert examination of Policies of insurance, monthly reports of Financial condition of insurance Co., and expert services in the adjustment of losses. The company issues yearly contracts at a minimum fee and is doing a large business. Several firms in this city hold their contracts. The stock holders and officers are prominent business men of the state.

GRUBB'S SPECIAL SALE

Balance of Week \$1.50 Box of 50, or 8 for 25 Cents

George W. Childs, Lewick's Limited, White Knight, Globe Democrat.

EDWARD W. CONNELL HAS BEEN MISSING

Last Seen of Him Was Monday Night, and There is No Trace of Him This Afternoon.

Edward W. Connell, the insurance agent has been missing from his home since Monday night and up to this afternoon no trace of him has been discovered. He is often away from home over night, so nothing was thought of his absence until he did not return home last night. This caused his family to become anxious as to his whereabouts.

His son, Edward H. Connell, said that his father often made trips into the country on insurance business and would be gone for several days and might be on one of those trips at present. He usually, however, informed some of his family or friends when he intended staying away over night and this time said nothing to anyone about going away. The family hope to be able to get some trace of him today.

LOOKED FOR TROUBLE

Two Young Men from Indian Ford Found What They Were After, at a Livery Barn.

Two young men from Indian Ford came to the city yesterday afternoon evidently looking for trouble and had all they wanted before they left for home. They put their team in one of the local livery stables and had them fed and taken care of. When they started to go home they asked for their bill and were told it was fifty cents.

They seemed indignant at the charge and told the man in charge of the barn that he could take fifteen cents or nothing. They also called him several vile names and told him what they would do with him if he did not take the fifteen cents and let them out.

The man stood their talk for quite a while and finally one of the Indian Ford men started to make his bluff good. This was more than the man in charge of the barn thought he was called upon to stand, so started in. It took him about two minutes to make the Indian Ford dealer look like he had been drawn through a sausage grinder and willing to pay the fifty cents. His partner did not care to take a hand in the game so escaped unhurt. It is safe to say that the next time these two young men come to town they will know who they are going up against.

MISS COLLINS ON THE WITNESS STAND

Her Testimony Did Not Differ Much from That Given in Former Trials.

The circuit court is still engaged in the trial of the case of Ann Collins against the city. Miss Collins was given a searching cross examination yesterday afternoon by Attorney Jeffris. Her testimony did not differ materially from that given by her on former occasions. She was recalled this morning to give further testimony in her own behalf.

During the day the attorneys for the plaintiff swore Dr. J. F. Pemberton to the present condition of the plaintiff and the probable cause of her injuries. Joseph Dunning, Silas Kent, Mrs. Catherine Hennings, Miss Lou Van Kuren, Mrs. Mary Smith were also sworn for the plaintiff and testified in regard to the manner in which the plaintiff was injured.

Dr. M. A. Cunningham was sworn as an expert for the plaintiff as was Dr. W. W. Gill of Madison, one of the best known medical experts in the state. It is expected that the plaintiff's testimony will be all in before tomorrow noon when the defense will be taken up. The case is being hotly contested by both parties and will take all of Thursday and most of Friday.

The case of Mary McShane vs. Patrick McShane was adjourned until Feb. 26. On motion of the attorney for the plaintiff the defendant was ordered to pay \$50 attorney fees and \$2 per week alimony to the plaintiff during the pendency of the action.

The case of Wm. Lathers vs. Jas. Irish was dismissed without costs the defendant to pay the clerk's fees. The case of Fred Hesseneauer vs. A. M. Valentine was continued on the usual terms.

In a special term of Green County C. H. Tenney was appointed receiver for Stephen W. Gilmartain and his bond fixed at \$30,000.

Funeral of Thom. O'Grady The funeral of the late Thomas O'Grady, who passed away Monday night, was held this morning at ten o'clock from St. Patrick's church. Dean E. M. McGinnity officiating. The service was attended by a large number of relatives and close friends who gathered at this time to pay their last respects to the deceased. The interment was at Mount Olivet cemetery. The pall bearers were William Thomas, James and Frank O'Grady, the nephews of the deceased.

In the Municipal Court The case of John Newbauer, who was yesterday under bonds to keep the peace by Judge Fildes was called in the Municipal court this morning and adjourned until March 25.

The case of Dr. Willard McChesney of Edgerton against Charles L. Cullen of Edgerton for professional services during the sickness of Mr. Cullen's boy was called this morning in the municipal court and adjourned until March 15 at 10 a. m.

COTTON WASH GOODS Several large shipments received the past few days makes our assortment more complete than ever. Our showing of up-to-date wash dress goods is an imposing one. At \$2.00 a yard ten patterns of embroidered Swiss that are works of art. Our 15 and 25c lines are very strong. J. M. BOSTWICK & SONS.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

George M. McKey spent yesterday in Beloit.

J. A. Young of Broadhead spent yesterday in our city.

Miss Julia Conroy of Clinton spent yesterday in our city.

Mrs. John Winans left this morning for a visit in Milwaukee.

Charles M. Dow of Madison was in the city today on business.

Wm. Foote, cutter for T. J. Ziegler spent the day in Chicago.

Attorney John Cunningham left at 10:10 this morning for Chicago.

Charles Hay left on a business trip to Madison this morning.

Hon. O. P. Gaarder of Orfordville, transacted business in our city today.

Regular meeting of Crystal Camp No. 132, R. N. of A. this evening.

Mrs. D. D. Mayne of Madison visited Janesville friends yesterday.

Miss Susie Lowell left yesterday on an extended visit in Toronto Canada.

Mrs. Mary A. Wood returned this morning from a trip to Eau Claire County.

Edwin Phillips left this morning for Chicago, in the interest of the Parker Pen Co.

A. O. Peterson, an Orfordville leaf tobacco dealer, is visiting local tobacco men today.

R. P. Stericker left at 10:10 this morning for Chicago and the east, to visit the principal horse markets.

Edward and James Fildes left yesterday on an extended trip through the west and northwest.

L. C. Brewer left today for Albion, Michigan, where he will visit his sons Chester and Burns.

E. Brazell and C. L. Flynn of Jeffris, Wis., were in the city today on business with the Jeffris Co.

James Gibson, district passenger agent for the Northwestern was in the city today on company business.

A nine pound boy was born in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Smith, 110 Fourth avenue Monday.

Mrs. James Curris and daughter Margaret and May of Chicago are visiting Janesville friends.

Madam Ethel, who has been conducting hair dressing parlors in the Hayes block, has left the city.

W. B. Kyle and O. B. Cornish, two of Fort Atkinson's leading business men were in the city yesterday.

A marriage license was issued today to D. H. Higgins of Nellsville and Ada Thoroughgood of Janesville.

Ben Darlas of Chicago, agent for Green & Kennedy, the manufacturers of Towanda whiskey, is the guest of L. L. Leffingwell.

Daniel Ryan has so far recovered from his recent illness as to be able to walk about the house some. It will be three or four weeks before he will be strong enough to come down town.

Joseph Grundy and Sanford Soverhill expect to start up their assorting rooms next Monday.

More fine Finnan Haddies, 10c; More new speed herring, 10c; More thick cut chum, 10c; More boxes smoked herring, 15c; Fresh lettuce, radishes and salsify; New specialties in candy; Our oranges are very sweet; Fine fresh, crisp celery; You will like those fine Strawberries at 10c; More pears in syrup at 10c. DEDRICK BROS.

THREE GOOD TRADES.

We wish everyone to try these as we are sure they will be back for more.

EUREKA PEAS, 10c.

Packed by the Lakeside Canning Company. You know what the Lakeside Peas are. The Eurekas are not sorted so closely but have the same high Pea flavor and delicious tenderness.

FAVORITE CORN, 10c. 3 Cans for 25c.

Batavia Preserving Company, full pack. Sweet white, clean Corn. We have sold great quantities of these on account of the quality. We have also the cheap 7c goods.

CANNA TOMATOES, 12c.

Here is something very fine. Rich and of a peculiar fine flavor. These have sold until now at 15c. We sold out the cheap 10c goods and so receded the price of these and are giving even better value.

DEDRICK BROS. PHONE 9.

BIG SUM STAGGERS CITY OF БЕЛОИТ

Probability That the Marzluft Proposition Will Not Be Accepted - One Forlorn Hope.

Beloit, Wis., Feb. 26.—(Special)—The proposition to bring the Marzluft shoe factory to Beloit looks dubious here today. The committee named to take charge have about given up in despair of accomplishing anything. The sum of \$40,000 is no small amount especially in view of the fact that this city has been engaged in raising bonuses for a year or more. It is a huge thing to tackle as the committee found when they interviewed the mounted men. The time is so short also that it seems impossible to make the deal.

There is one forlorn hope which will be attempted this afternoon. There are two men who might possibly carry the whole proposition. They promised to let the committee know before night. If they fail then the whole thing falls through.

The Condensed Milk factory who wanted to locate here have withdrawn their offer and will locate at Chemung, Ill., where their proposition has been met.

SOME INVITING PRICES We are not closing out nor making so-called sacrifice sales. We sell at a profit. We have the goods and can and will save you from 50 cents to \$3.00 on a single pair of shoes. All latest styles and up-to-date.

Ladies' fine kid \$5.00 shoes for \$2.00. Ladies' fine kid \$3.50 and \$3.00. Shoes from \$1.00 up to \$1.50. Men's patent leather \$2.50 and \$5.00. Shoes from \$1.00 to \$2.00. Men's fine kid \$3.50 shoes for \$1.50. Men's Valour calf \$3.50 shoes for \$1.50.

Boy's fine kid shoes, regular price \$2.00 and \$2.50, our price 85c. and \$1.00. These are all exceptionally high grade goods. Come at once before sizes are broken.

We do not close Wednesday evenings, big bargains. Home-seekers' Excursion via C. & N. W. Ry.

March 4th and April 1 and 15, May 6 and 20. On above dates the C. & N. W. Ry. will sell home-seekers' tickets to points Northwest, West and Southwest, at rates of one fare plus \$2.50 for round trip, limit 21 days. "The best of everything." For free particulars apply to ticket agent C. & N. W. passenger depot, Tel. No. 35.

For 2 Days, Wednesday and Thursday.

3 lbs Best Gran. Sugar..... 10c
2 lbs Best Rolled Oats..... 8c
1 Package Currants..... 8c
1 qt finest Sauer Kraut..... 4c
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2 bars Laundry Soap..... 5c
2 lbs Prunes..... 10c
1 3lb can Table Plums..... 14c
1 Package Gloss Starch..... 8c

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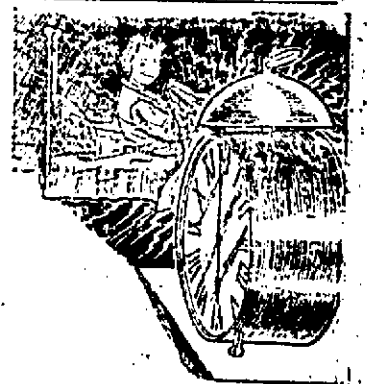
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NEWS OF THE COUNTY

BRODHEAD.

Brodhead, Feb. 24.—Miss Nellie Johnson is home from Madison for a visit of a week or ten days.

Dr. Stephenson has been laid up with an attack of quinsy, but is now out again.

Mr. Chas. Sherman arrived home Thursday evening from his trip to the Funtack Springs, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Hofmeister were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Al-Crosby last week.

Miss Ethel Upham, of Whitewater, was the guest of her sister at Mrs. C. J. Sherman's over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Owen, of Footville, and Mr. W. A. Sprague, and family and Miss Jessie Sprague, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Palmer Saturday and Sunday.

Messrs. B. Sprague and C. C. Stone, went to Dayton last Thursday, where they officiated respectively as Grand Master and Marshal at the Masonic funeral services of Mr. B. Rutty.

Mr. Soultman has now about forty names pledged to the Ben Hur Court will probably organize in about three weeks.

Mr. Roy Pierson, of Janesville, was in the city last week, assisting Mr. Guelson, our taxidermist. He mounted four deer heads, some Arctic Owls and a fox, which it is worth your while to go and see.

Mrs. Lillian Mitchell left last Friday afternoon for Viroqua, called there by the serious illness of her uncle, Mr. E. Rockwood. A car received from her states that she found him in even a more serious condition that she anticipated and while he may linger for some time, the physicians give him no hope of ultimate recovery.

Mr. Frank W. Bucklin, of Brodhead, has been elected president of the senior class at the university. Four other candidates were in the field, but Mr. Bucklin's election was assured after the first ballot. He is taking the English course, is a member of the Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity and of the Hesperian debating society, which he represented in the Junior oratorical contest. We extend congratulations. We are always proud to see a Brodhead boy honored.

SOUTH CLINTON.

South Clinton, Feb. 25.—Jasper Dresser who has been on the sick list has resumed his school work.

Our farmers are busy this fine weather.

Chas. Dresser was here Saturday.

Miss Hattie Benedict spoke in Beloit Sunday evening.

Rev. Will Curtiss has been spending a little time in Beloit.

Henry Newhouse has gone to Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Dresser and baby spent a portion of last week in Clinton and drove to Delavan while there.

George Dresser was home for Sunday.

ROCK RIVER.

Rock River, Feb. 25.—Several from here attended the quarterly meeting at Albion Saturday and Sunday.

Herbert Winchel is under the Dr.'s care this week.

The Washington entertainment at the school last Friday was well attended and greatly enjoyed by all present.

Much credit is due to teacher Mrs. Cole for the program.

Jennies Rose's school in the Merrifield district will close next Friday.

A number from here attended the Brown auction last Thursday.

There will be a shadow and box social at Lee Van Horn's Wednesday evening, March 5th. Everybody is expected to bring a box with supper for two. All are cordially invited to come.

Everyone is rejoicing over the prospect of the new electric road coming into this neighborhood.

NORTH JOHNSTOWN.

North Johnstown, Feb. 25.—Rev. A. Longfield attended the quarterly meeting of Free Baptists at Rutland Friday night and Saturday.

Mrs. Lydia Boynton and daughter Minnie are spending the week at the home of their uncle H. R. Osborn.

Farin Cary is under the doctor's care with jaundice.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sperry were with friends at Porter from Friday until Monday.

George Bennett and wife went to Beloit Monday of last week for a visit at the home of their son Dr. Louis Bennett. Mrs. Bennett remained until Saturday.

A large congregation of the friends and relatives of Mr. Lucius Bingham attended his funeral here Thursday afternoon. Mr. Bingham had for many years been a faithful member and deacon of the church in this place and was universally esteemed and respected by all who knew him. The interment was in the cemetery here.

Arthur Cain, of Calville, was an over Sunday visitor at H. Sperry's.

Mrs. P. E. Brotherton, of Johnstown Center, was with friends here a part of last week.

SOUTH TURTLE.

South Turtle, Feb. 25.—Some of our people went northward a few evenings ago, the occasion being a dance at Turtle Town Hall.

Beautiful weather these days.

Many of our people took in the horse sale at Beloit last week.

Services have been held in the Murray school house for several evenings.

Charles Zelly and Allee Linderman have united their fortunes and are now settled at the Zelly homestead.

Mr. and Mrs. Zelly having moved to Beloit.

INDIAN FORD.

Indian Ford, Feb. 25.—The auction on the Page farm Monday was not well attended. It was just crowded.

A number of old friends and neighbors attended the funeral of Mr. John Call at Edgerton Tuesday. The sorrowing wife and children have the sympathy of the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis of Rutland visited at Wm. Cox's last week.

Mr. Harry Hains of Edgerton ate dinner at J. Barenge's Sunday of last week.

Mr. John Bell of Edgerton called at

John Barenge's and W. Price's on Sunday.

Mr. Bert Cox who is working at Edgerton Sundayed down home.

Will Price and Glen went to Janesville and Milton Sunday.

Frank Thomas and Gus Gallitz were in Janesville Saturday.

Harry Thomas and George Lackner made a business trip to Janesville Saturday.

Mrs. Maggie Scofield has been entertaining her mother from Stoughton.

Mr. Heath and family, who have been living on the L. H. Page farm started for their new home in Green county Tuesday.

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Common sense would suggest that if one wishes to become fleshy and plump it can only result from the food we eat and digest, and that food should be albuminous or flesh forming food, like eggs, beefsteak and cereals; in other words the kind of food that make flesh are the foods which form the greater part of our daily bills of fare.



But the trouble is that we eat enough and generally too much the stomach from abuse and overwork, does not properly digest and assimilate it, which is the reason so many people remain thin and under weight; the digestive organs do not completely digest the flesh forming beefsteak and eggs and similar wholesome food. There are thousands of such who are really confirmed dyspeptics, although they may have no particular pain or inconvenience from their stomachs.

If such persons would lay their prejudices aside and make a regular practice of taking after each meal, one or two of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets the food would be quickly and thoroughly digested, because these tablets contain the natural pepsines and diastase which every weak stomach lacks, and by supplying this want the stomach is soon enabled to regain its natural tone and vigor.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets digest every form of flesh forming food, meat, eggs, bread and potatoes, and this is the reason they so quickly build up, strengthen and invigorate thin, dyspeptic men, women and children.

Invalids and children, even the most delicate, use them with marked benefit as they contain no strong, irritating drugs, no cathartic nor any harmful ingredient.

It is the most successful and most widely known of any remedy for stomach troubles because it is the most reasonable and scientific of modern medicines.

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Two Testimonials Killed

York, Pa., Feb. 26.—Two men were killed and one was dangerously hurt in a freight wreck on the Columbia and Port Deposit railroad a short distance south of McCall's Ferry last night. The dead are Engineer A. T. Hatch and Fireman Paul Wilhelm.

Henry Wolf, a brakeman, was dangerously injured.

Lecture and Concert at Association of University of Wis., Madison, Wis., Feb. 26.

For above excursion the C. & N. W. will sell excursion tickets at rate of \$1.60 for round trip, good returning on February 27.

Insomnia

Nerve-racked, weary and heavy-eyed, the head that seeks repose finds only ceaseless tossing and feverish unrest. Strange fancies—vague forebodings—fill the mind with harrowing thoughts until morning brings its rasping headache, irritable temper, and loss of appetite. Rest the nerves—build them up—and gentle, restful, refreshing sleep will be yours.

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SPARKS FROM THE WIRES

Pension Comes Too Late.

Carbondale, Ill., Feb. 26.—Two hours before his death George H. Carter of Vienna received notice from the pension office at Washington that he had been granted a pension. Carter was an orphan and enlisted in the Thirty-fourth volunteer regiment, serving under Brigadier General Funston. When he returned he was a physical wreck, owing to climate and arduous duties. He sought a pension in July.

New Merger Suits.

New York, Feb. 26.—Attorney General Douglas of Minnesota will not wait for the United States court to attack the legality of the Northern Securities merger under the Sherman anti-trust law of 1890. Under instructions from Governor Van Sant of Minnesota he will file a complaint against the Northern Securities Company in the New Jersey state court at Trenton.

Independent Glass Company Formed.

St. Louis, Feb. 26.—The St. Louis Plate Glass company has been formed and will be incorporated under the laws of Missouri with a cash capital of \$2,000,000. It is independent of the glass trust. The plant will have a capacity of 20,000 square feet of glass a day, giving employment to 600 men. It is intended to found a "model town."

Run on Detroit Bank Ended.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 26.—The run on the Dime Savings Bank was resumed when the bank opened for business yesterday, but the line of waiting depositors gradually dwindled down. The nervousness has not communicated to the depositors of any of the other local banks.

Boer Delegates at New York.

New York, Feb. 26.—Messrs. Wolmarans and Wessels, Boer delegates, and Dr. de Bruyn, secretary of the Boer embassy, arrived here yesterday. The party will remain in this city a few days and then go to Baltimore and Washington.

Trouble at Barcelona Over.

Barcelona, Feb. 26.—The city has nearly resumed its normal aspect. Troops continue to hold the principal squares, otherwise there is no sign of the recent disorders. Business is going on about as usual.

BAD BLOOD, BAD COMPLEXION.

The skin is the seat of an almost endless variety of diseases. They are known by various names, but are all due to the same cause, acid and other poisons in the blood that irritate and interfere with the proper action of the skin.

To have a smooth, soft skin, free from all eruptions, the blood must be kept pure and healthy. The many preparations of arsenic and potash and the large number of face powders and lotions generally used in this class of diseases cover up for a short time, but cannot remove permanently the ugly blotches and the red, disfiguring pimples.

Eternal vigilance is the price of a beautiful complexion when such remedies are relied on.

Mr. H. T. Shobe, 2701 Lucas Avenue, St. Louis, Mo., says: "My daughter was afflicted for years with a disfiguring eruption on her face, which resisted all treatment. She was taken to two celebrated health springs, but received no benefit. Many medicines were prescribed, but without result, until we decided to try S. S. S., and by the time the first bottle was finished the eruption began to disappear. A dozen bottles cured her completely and left her skin perfectly smooth. She is now seventeen years old, and a most sign of the embarrassing disease has ever returned."

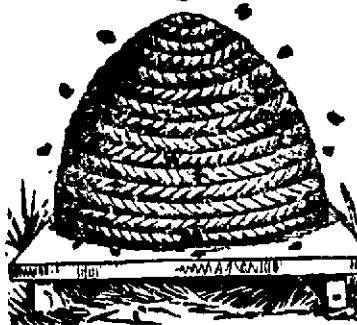
S. S. S. is a positive, unfailing cure for the worst forms of skin troubles. It is the greatest of all blood purifiers, and the only one guaranteed purely vegetable.

Bad blood makes bad complexions.

SSS purifies and invigorates the old and makes new, rich blood that nourishes the body and keeps the skin active and healthy and in proper condition to perform its part towards carrying off the impurities from the body.

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Would Reduce Chinese Claims.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The United States government has proposed to the powers concerned in the Chinese treaty that they consent to a pro rata reduction of claims so as to maintain the total within the sum of \$50,000,000, which the powers agreed to accept from China as full indemnity for the Boxer outrages. Germany has discovered that she placed her claim too low and has demanded an increase in allowance of 10,000,000 taels. If this is to be met the other signatory powers must agree to submit to the pro rata deduction of that sum from their own original allotments.

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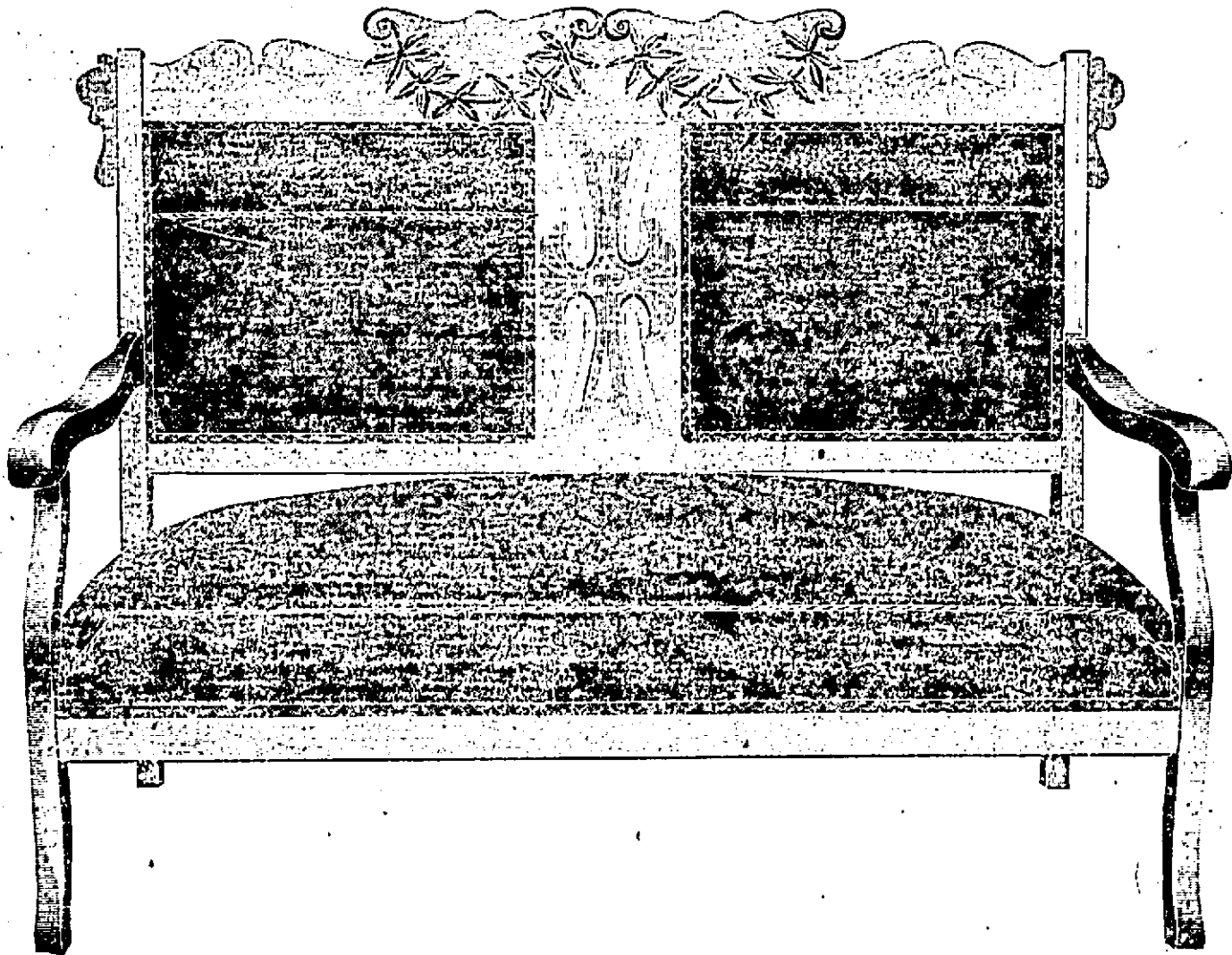
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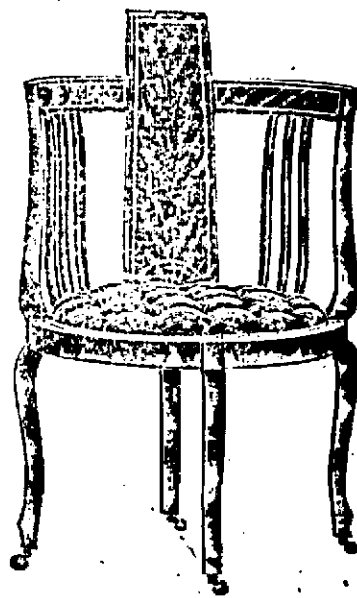


We have a few **SOFAS** (Like Cut) well made and finished and nicely upholstered in tapestry and velour, regular price \$10.00, sale price \$6.00 each. There are divans to match, regular price \$9.00, sale price \$5.00, and patent rockers to match, regular price \$9.00, sale price \$4.75. Remember these are all new goods, and warranted in every respect. Besides the larger pieces, we have nice upholstered **SEAT CORNER CHAIRS** at \$2.25 and \$3.00, regular price \$3.50 and \$5.50.

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When an editor writer can do no more than to attack personally in his writings a man who is a christian gentleman, possessing christianity without hypocrisy, such a person shows plainly that he is up against a hard proposition. This is truly the case where the administration newspapers are hustling about in search of some argument to use against the candidacy of Hon. J. M. Whitehead. He is far above the majority of the crowd which is resorting to slurs and personalities that they have no conception of the ridiculousness of their position. If christianity and being honorable and upright are anything to degrade or lower a man in the eyes of the people, then Mr. Whitehead can plead guilty. Those who are engaged in this kind of political argument only disgust their readers.—Lodi Enterprise.

Career and Character of Abraham Lincoln

An address by Joseph Choate, Ambassador to Great Britain, on the career and character of Abraham Lincoln—his early life—his early struggles with the world—his character as developed in the later years of his life and his administration, which placed his name so high on the world's roll of honor and fame, has been published by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway and may be had by sending six (6) cents in postage to F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Ill.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—STATE OF WISCONSIN, County Court for Rock County

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the county court to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of Sept., A. D. 1902, being Sept. 2, 1902, at nine o'clock a. m., the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted: All claims against Henry S. Lutz late of the city of Polk, Ia. said county deceased. All such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 18th day of August, A. D. 1902, or be barred. Dated Feb. 11, 1902.

By the Court,
J. W. SALL,
County Judge

STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court for Rock County—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court to be held in and for said county, at the Court House, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday, being the 18th day of March, 1902, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered: The application of Fannie E. Elford, Edward Reger and John G. Rexford for the adjustment and allowance of their account as executors of the will of Frederick S. Elford, late of the city of Janesville in said county, deceased and for the assignment of the residue of said estate, to such other persons as are by law and the will of said deceased entitled thereto. Dated Feb. 11, 1902.

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Hair Pins, 1-2 dozen on card, good quality, on sale per card 10c

25 dozen Tortois brand Hair Pins, dozen in box, assortment of styles, on sale, per box 25c

25 dozen back combs, heavy quality, regular price 25c, for this sale 12½c

15 dozen back combs, large size, heavy quality, regular 25c value, for this sale 25c

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36 inch Percaloes, good heavy quality, nice assortment of patterns, special for this sale 8c

Heavy ribbed seamless Cotton Hose, good quality, all sizes from 5 to 9 1-2, regular price 12 1-2c, for this sale 8c

Boys' and Misses' fine ribbed stocking, reinforced knees and heels, double sole, guaranteed fast black, regular price 25c for this sale 15c

45c Fay Stockings, good quality for this sale only 25c

Dress Goods

Great reduction on Dress Goods—prices cut to about 1-2. You cannot afford to miss this great opportunity to buy a good dress cheap.

38-inch Black Melrose, good quality, cheap at 40c, for this sale, per yard 28c

40-inch black all wool Henriettes, regular price 50c, for this sale 38c

45-inch all wool French serge regular price 50c, for this sale 38c

42 inch all wool Cheviots in spring colors, regular price 70c, for this sale 48c

42-inch black Brocades, large assortment of patterns, regular price \$1.25 for this sale 58c

40 inch all wool black Irish Reps, regular price \$1.50, for this sale only 88c

50 inch black Granite, all wool, regular price \$1.25, for this sale only 78c

50 inch all wool black German Broadcloths, regular price \$1.75, for this sale 1.28

52 inch all wool black Storm Serge, good quality, regular price \$1.50, for this sale 98c

Children's Underwear

We place our entire line of Children's Underwear on sale at a reduction of 25 per cent. off.

Ladies' fashioned Cotton Hose, fleeced lined, extra heavy quality, reg. price 25c this sale 18c

Ladies' seamless black cotton Hose, full fashioned, lisle finished, in fine quality, for 19c

Ladies' black cotton Hose, full fashioned, Maco split foot, fine quality, on sale at 25c

Corsets.

Special sale on Corsets: Golf Corsets, medium length, short hip, all colors, special sale price 39c

Fleibone and German Corsets, in odds and ends, white black and drab, regular \$1.50 and \$3 value, closing price 50c

We have a broken line of handsome brocade silk Corsets slightly soiled from window display, formerly sold at \$3, on sale at 1.25

We are selling a well-known brand of straight front Corsets, lace trimmed, in medium length, in white and drab, reg 89c price \$1 for this sale

Sheeting

36 inch unbleached Sheeting, heavy quality, cheap at 6c, for this sale 4c

36 inch bleached Lonsdale sheeting, cheap at 9c, on sale at 7½c

4-4 bleached, Sheeting, very heavy quality, never sold at less than 16c, on sale at 12c

Embroideries

We place on sale our entire line of Embroideries and Insertions in all styles and widths, all qualities, at a reduction of 25 per cent. off.